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ALLARD SELECTED TO SERVE ON KEY EDUCATION CONFERENCE COMMITTEE COLORADO LAWMAKER WILL HELP DETERMINE DIFFERENCES BETWEEN HOUSE AND SENATE EDUCATION REFORM BILLS

Washington, D.C. – Colorado U.S. Senator Wayne Allard was selected Wednesday to serve on the important education conference committee that will work out the differences between the Senate and House education reform bills.

“I am extremely honored to have been selected to serve on this important education reform conference committee,” Allard said. “This is one of the more significant issues Congress will be dealing with this session and I look forward to the challenge of helping to put together the most significant educational reform bill in a generation.”

Some of the other members joining Allard on the education reform conference committee include: U.S. Senators Joe Lieberman (D-CT), Ted Kennedy (D-MA), Evan Bayh (D-IN), Mike DeWine (R-OH), John Ensign (R-NV) and James Jeffords (I-VT).

The conference committee is expected to complete its work by the end of August. President Bush has asked Congress to send him an education reform bill before they begin their August recess.

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